

SABINE PARISH, LA

Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997

	1997	1992	1987
Farms			
Number	373	414	468
Acreage	56,683	57,789	58,112
Average size (acres)	152	140	124
Median size (acres)	87	N	N
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	200,287	153,296	125,983
Machinery/equip (dollars)	38,557	28,494	24,499
Cropland (acres)			
Total	24,227	25,349	26,340
Harvested	8,941	8,668	8,169
Irrigated	6	5	12
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	53,434	37,484	35,872
(dollars avg. per farm)	143,254	90,540	76,649
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	17,939	13,718	10,553
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	15,915	15,858	15,434
Beef cows	9,738	8,601	8,716
Milk cows	512	894	911
Hogs and pigs	54	44	220
Sheep and lambs	D	D	D
Layers 13 wks or older	D	179,903	109,536
Broilers and chicken (sold)	26,218,529	25,399,676	25,336,100
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Com, grain or seed	N	N	N
Com, silage or green chop	N	N	N
Sorghum, grain or seed	0	0	0
Wheat	0	0	D
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	N	N	N
Rice	0	0	0
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	0	0	0
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	0	0	0
Dry edible beans, excl lima	N	N	N
Potatoes, excl sweet potatoes	N	N	N
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	N
Sugarcane for sugar	0	0	0
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	N
Hay-alfalfa	8,907	8,659	8,018
Vegetables			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N
Orchards			

Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-W withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture
